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 ALTERNATOR WITH AIR  
 INLETS/OUTLETS  
 COMPRISING FINS INCLINED  
 WITH RESPECT TO FAN  
 BLADES  
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U.S. Patent/ Pub. No.	Issued/ Published	Inventor (s)	Title
5,028,826	07/02/1991	Kitamura	FAN ARRANGEMENT FOR A VEHICULAR AC GENERATOR
5,194,770	03/16/1993	Yoshioka et al.	VEHICULAR A.C. GENERATOR
5,650,675	07/22/1997	Kanaya et al.	ROTARY ELECTRIC MACHINE HAVING VARIABLY-DIMENSIONED HOUSING VENTILATION HOLES
6,417,585	07/09/2002	Oohashi et al.	VEHICULAR AC GENERATOR
6,784,586	08/31/2004	Akemakou	HYBRID ALTERNATOR WITH AN AXIAL END RETAINER FOR PERMANENT MAGNETS

6,888,275	05/03/2005	Nakano	AUTOMOTIVE ALTERNATOR HAVING HOUSING FOR REDUCING COOLING FAN NOISE
7,019,424	03/28/2006	Aeschlimann et al.	CURRENT RECTIFIER ASSEMBLY FOR ROTATING ELECTRICAL MACHINES, IN PARTICULAR MOTOR VEHICLE ALTERNATOR
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Foreign:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Patent</u>	<u>Publication/ Issue Date</u>	<u>Applicant</u>
EP	0634829	01/18/1995	NIPPON DENSO CO
EP	1032112	08/30/2000	MITSUBISHI ELECTRIC CORP
FR	2745439	08/29/1997	VALEO EQUIPEMENTS ELECTRIQUES MOTEUR
GB	2282709	04/12/1995	MITSUBISHI ELECTRIC CORP
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WO	9206527	04/16/1992	BOSCH GMBH ROBERT
WO	0169762	09/20/2001	VALEO EQUIPEMENTS ELECTRIQUES MOTEUR
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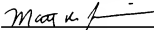
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